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New Application for Transmittal

Transmitted herewith for filing is the patent application of the following Inventor(s):
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For: **Process for the Preparation of Chiral Isofluoroenes**

1. Papers enclosed which are required for a filing date under 35 CFR 1.53(b):

- ☒ Pages of specification – **54** pages
- ☒ Pages of claims – **12** pages
- ☒ Page(s) of abstract – **1** page
- Sheets of drawing
 - ☐ Formal
 - ☐ Informal

2. Additional papers enclosed

- ☒ Information Disclosure Statement
- ☒ Form PTO-1449
- ☐ Citations
- ☐ Declaration of Biological Deposit
- ☐ Computer Readable Form of Sequence Listing
- ☐ Declaration Under 37 CFR 1.821(f)
- ☐ Other:

3. Declaration

- ☒ Enclosed and executed by all inventor(s)
- ☐ Enclosed, but not executed by all inventor(s)
- ☐ Not enclosed

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CERTIFICATION UNDER 37 CFR 1.10

I hereby certify that this paper and the documents referred to as enclosed therein are being deposited with the United States Postal Service on the date written below in an envelope as "Express Mail Post Office to Addressee" Mailing Label Number **EK955277265US** addressed to the Assistant Commissioner for Patents, Box Patent Application, Washington, D.C. 20231.

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4. Assignment

An assignment of the invention to:

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- ☐ was made in the prior application and recorded in PTO on , Reel , Frame .  
☐ is attached under separate Recordation Form Cover Sheet.  
☒ will follow.

5. Filing Fee Calculation

| CLAIMS AS FILED         |                     |                            |             |                  |
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|                         |                     |                            |             | \$710.00         |
| TOTAL CLAIMS            | 11-20               | 0                          | X \$ 18.00  | 0.00             |
| INDEPENDENT CLAIMS      | 3-3                 | 1                          | X \$ 80.00  | 00.00            |
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- ☒ 37 CFR 1.16(a), (f), or (g) filing fees
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- ☒ 37 CFR 1.16(e) surcharge for filing the basic filing fee and/or declaration on a date later than the filing date of the application.
- ☒ 37 CFR 1.17 application processing fees

10. Relate back (35 USC 119(e))

☒ Amend the Specification by inserting before the first line the sentence:

--This application claims priority from copending provisional application(s) serial number **60/222,733** filed on **August 3, 2000**--

  
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